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THE NEW CONSERVATIVE LEADER IN ALBERTA

At an enthusiastic convention of delegates representing the Conservative party in the province which was held in Edmonton on August 5th, Mr. A. A. McGillivray, K.C., of Calgary was chosen as the head of the provincial Conservatives, without one dissenting vote.

Mr. McGillivray is a native of New Brunswick, who after a distinguished scholastic career there came to Alberta eighteen years ago, and practised law for two years in Stettler. Fame came to him early, and at the end of two years he moved to Calgary where he still has a busy practice, and has been chosen as prosecutor for the Crown on several occasions, notably in the notorious Picarell case.

The reason for this is not far to seek. Those who know the new leader best are the keenest to testify that while it may have been his brilliancy in argument and his tenacity of purpose, which first won him fame as a King's counsel, yet more important still from the standpoint of those who have chosen him as a political head, is the clean record which is his, the straight forward integrity of the man himself. He takes his place at the head of the party, not as a hackneyed politician seeking the favors of office with a string of party shibboleths as his sole stock in trade. Instead of this, it is a case of the office seeking the man, who, at considerable loss, has accepted it, not only as a good Conservative—which he is proud to call himself—but as a good citizen who realizes that the present lamentable financial standing of the province may be due, in part, to selfish indifference to responsibility on the part of the Albertan voter who votes his class, or his party, right or wrong.

Speaking of the appalling financial condition of the province, in connection with which he gave figures which showed Alberta to have the highest per capita debt in the Dominion. For while, when in office the Liberals had added a yearly debt to the province of \$5,521,000; the Greenfield administration had raised this debt to \$6,566,608 on an average. Or, in words, since coming to office they had increased the provincial public debt by \$19,000,000. He continued: "Surely then, we may with confidence appeal to that mass of people, who are not tied to the apron-strings of any party, to join with us, in provincial politics to put the Conservative party into power; not because they are Conservatives, but because they have hopes of extricating this province from the appalling financial condition created by reason of former and present administrative inefficiency."

Mr. McGillivray deplored the wilful partizanship of those who would confuse federal issues and

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CROP REPORT

Issued by Department of Agriculture, Government of Alberta
Edmonton, Monday, August 17th, 1925.

Harvesting of wheat became general in Southern Alberta about August 10th, and commenced in several districts in the Central and Northern parts during the past week. Wheat in the South is about 50 per cent. harvested and in Central districts about 25 per cent. is cut. Cutting of barley and oats has also begun in many districts.

Harvesting operations, however, have been seriously interrupted by rains which visited almost every district in the Province, commencing August 14th. In many districts these rains torrential, and the total precipitation throughout the Province was quite heavy. The weather is still showery, and it will be another week before harvesting can be resumed.

In the South the rain, of course has been of practically no value to the grain crops, since it has come too late to have any beneficial effect save to aid in the filling of what wheat is not yet harvested. In the Central and Northern districts where the grain crops were still in process of maturing, the rain was of benefit in completing the filling process. Much of the wheat, however, had matured rapidly during the previous intense heat, and the percentage of the wheat crop benefitting from the rains therefore will be comparatively small.

The heavy precipitation will be of greatest value to the late oats crop and the feed crops. These crops should be considerably improved by the rains, and the consequent yields increased.

Results from what little threshing has already been done in Southern Alberta bear out the statements contained in recent crop reports that the yields of wheat would be disappointing. Even in fields where yields were expected to be heavy, it has been found that the heads have not properly filled, and the yields are consequently much lower than anticipated.

In the South the new sugar beet crop has been greatly benefited by the late rains. Harvesting of this crop will commence about September 15, and the total yield of beets will be larger than at first estimated. The crop is expected to yield from 8 to 12 tons per acre, with some fields going as high as 15 tons.

The corn crop will be very satisfactory also this year. There is a considerable acreage in corn again although the increase has not been what had been earlier anticipated.

Harvest labor is available in sufficient number to meet present needs.

Complete data as to results of what threshing is now being done is being gathered.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Miss Niven MacJannet of Edmonton is visiting with Mrs. H. G. Folkins and Mrs. Clyne.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. N. Doucette was taken to Edmonton to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. W. Dey Thursday, August 20th a son.

Mrs. A. Sim of Edmonton arrived last Wednesday for a week's visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cargill.

Mrs. J. A. MacKenzie of Wainwright was a visitor last week at the home of her parents Dr. and Mrs. H. G. Folkins.

J. S. Pelletier hauled the first load of wheat to Chauvin, August 21st. This was purchased by the Security elevator, and graded No. 2.

If you want a real nice sweater or pullover or a pair of heavy pants for winter wear, you cannot do better than at Saker's.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred [redacted] of Saskatoon, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. Gibb during the past week.

The Federal Elevator is now open for business. Your patronage would be very much appreciated by both the company and the manager, C. H. Bissett.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bissett, Jr. will reside in the house recently occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Bissett, Sr.

Mr. George McAdie, of Vancouver, is spending a short time renewing acquaintanceships in this district. He is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Herbert.

Miss Dorothy Saul started her duties as teacher at the Northern Crown school Monday last.

The school gong will sound again next Monday morning at the Chauvin public and high schools. Nothing like a full attendance right from opening for a successful term. Parents are requested to make every effort to send their children the first day, and every day of the term.

Our old friend the weather man is an inveterate joker. He is making a good start with his old annual—showers at harvest time. Cool weather, cloudy skies with showers are delaying both ripening and harvest operations. Yet considerable progress is being made with cutting; and some threshing has been done.

Mr. and Miss Gray, of Brookdale, Man., are visitors with the Newstead Bros.

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W. L. A. NOTES

The Ladies Auxiliary of Westminster church will hold their monthly meeting on Thursday afternoon, September 10th at 3 o'clock at Mrs. Keith's home.

DANCE BY BASKET BALL GIRLS REALIZED \$57

Success attended the efforts of the Chauvin Basket Ball Girls' team at the dance given by them last Friday, their object being to raise funds to enable them to make a trip to Red Deer for the purpose of competing for the Central Alberta Championship. Cadogan, Edgerton and Ribstone were well represented, and the sum of \$57 dollars was realized. Along with the money earned and by raising a sufficient fund the trip to Red Deer can be made possible. Thanks to those who attended.

School Books and School Supplies of all kinds at McKechnie's Drug and Stationery Store.

SUCCESSFUL CALF CLUB

An outstanding feature of the Edmonton Exhibition recently was the exhibit of baby beef in which class there was three entries. The animals were all of a very high class, and the competition was keen.

"Dangerous Money" a new Paramount Picture which will be shown at Chauvin next Monday, and Edgerton next Tuesday, is a picture which is sure to please. In it Bebe Daniels has her first role as a full-fledged star. It is the story of a poor girl who falls into a million and almost wrecks her girlhood love affair. Tom Moore heads the strong supporting cast. The picture is directed by Frank Tuttle, his first picture for Paramount—and you'll like it!

EDUCATIONALISTS VISIT PROVINCE

A party of over fifty British educationalists, touring Canada under the auspices of the Overseas Educational League, visited Alberta the past week on their way through to the Pacific Coast. They spent a day in Calgary and will visit Edmonton on the return east.

The trouble with most people who have nothing to say is that it takes them such a long time to say it.

RETURNS FROM ARCTIC

Baron Byng, Governor-General of Canada, returned on Saturday, August 15, from his trip to the Arctic circle. A special reception for him was held in Edmonton on his return.

Not all of our flappers are as bad as they're painted.

BEEKEEPING IN SASKATCHEWAN IS INCREASING FAST

Dr. S. A. Merkeley, of Moose Jaw, secretary of the Saskatchewan Beekeepers' Association, has written as follows on the honey industry in Saskatchewan:—

Five years ago there were only twenty-three persons keeping bees in Saskatchewan, and today we have upwards of 600. And there is reason to believe that this number will be doubled before the end of another season, judging from the rapidly developing interest in the possibilities of bee-keeping in Saskatchewan.

Unlike other livestock on the farm, the bees are practically free from disease. The Saskatchewan Apiaries Act passed in 1924 prohibits the importation into Saskatchewan of bees on combs, unless they are accompanied by a certificate of health showing that they are free from that dread disease—foul brood. All importations of bees on combs from the United States are prohibited under all circumstances by special Act of the Federal government. He believes that Saskatchewan is the only province that is free from foul brood and we hope to keep it so.

The bee experts in the United States have become greatly interested in our abundant honey yields, and are making special investigations of the conditions which are making it possible for a colony of bees in Saskatchewan to store nearly double the amount of surplus honey in a few weeks than is stored by a colony in the warm southern States during the whole season. Mr. F. C. Pellett, of Hamilton, Ill., the associate editor of the American Bee Journal, made a trip through Saskatchewan in July, studying the conditions and possibilities here.

There are many contributing features which make it possible for our Saskatchewan colonies to do such wonderful work. We have long hours of sunlight and more actual sunshine than has any other province in Canada. Moose Jaw has 67 hours of sunshine out of every possible 100, and is second only to Lethbridge which has 72 hours, according to the Federal government report. With these long hours of sunlight the bees are working from 12 to 14 hours per day during the honey flow.

Again, the climatic conditions generally seem most favorable for the secreting of the nectar in the bloom, and it remains in the flowers until late in the afternoon.

There is a long list of honey-producing plants in Saskatchewan: yellow mustard, sweet clover, golden rod, and scores of other wild flowers and shrubs. These furnish the bees with an abundance of nectar in any favorable season.

Another great reason for our big surplus honey flow is the condition of the colony when the flow starts. The real honey flow

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SPADE WORK THAT GETS THE TRADE

To get steady sales in satisfactory volume, you must build up confidence in your store and its service.

Advertising in The Chauvin Chronicle will lay the foundation of such confidence. Advertising does the spade work that leads to bigger sales. It will tell folks about your store, its service. It will tell them about the goods you have to offer.

Let your advertising in The Chauvin Chronicle be a standing invitation to the folks around here. As a rule,

People Shop Where They Feel Welcome

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starts very late in this province, and thus the bees have built up very strongly, and have the hive full of workers at the right time. Our light honey flow during the early part of the season, which is usually only sufficient to rear brood, is conducive to the making of strong colonies, as the queen is not restricted in her laying by the crowding of the brood chamber with honey. This factor sometimes works badly, and we find that sufficient honey is not coming in to carry on the brooding at the full limit; and the experienced beekeeper will feed at this time, which surely pays as the bees will give it back in increased returns.

The great majority of those who started with bees during the past five years in this province were without practical experience. No doubt this will have a detrimental effect on the industry, for some may quit in disgust, but this can be partially overcome through an educational campaign. Experienced bee-keepers in different parts of the province have reported upwards of 250 pounds of honey from a colony during a favorable season. I am convinced through correspondence with beekeepers in all parts of Saskatchewan that bees can be kept successfully in every part of the province, though, of course, some parts are more adaptable than others.

Experience has proved that the 10 frame Standard hive is the most suitable for this province. It allows the bees to carry a good supply of honey in the brood

chamber to last them through the long winter and late spring. Pure bred Italian bees are very gentle, prolific, vigorous, and good honey gatherers, and are becoming very popular in the west. The fear of the sting deters many from making a start with bees, but with a bee-veil, and a smoker, any person can handle bees, and will be surprised how gentle they become when handled gently.

How To Start

There are many ways to make a start with bees. A good colony of Italian bees in a 10 frame hive costs in the spring about \$20, and during the season should give a good surplus of honey and about two colonies increase.

Another way is to purchase a nucleus, which is two or three frames of brood with bees thereon. This while not so good as the full colony will build up into a good colony by fall, and give a fair surplus of honey.

Another method of making a start with package bees. These can be purchased from bee-keepers in the Southern States early in the spring, and if possible should be placed in drawn combs upon their arrival and fed liberally on sugar syrup. If placed on foundation they may have difficulty in building it out into comb, on account of cold weather. To assist them in their work the hive should be wrapped with some protector in the early spring.

These package bees if procured in the latter part of April and properly fed and protected will build up into good colonies and give a good surplus. But it should be insisted that all package bees coming from the United States have no honey whatever in any form as food for their journey. Sugar candy is all that should be used, as there is a great danger of introducing disease if honey is used.

Honey Market

"Saskatchewan has been importing about eight carloads of honey each year, but from present prospects we will soon be an exporting province of this most wholesome of all food products. The local conditions govern the price of honey in each district, but good extracted honey sells for 25c per pound in many districts of the province. I might say that Saskatchewan honey is of good quality and can compete against any that is imported.

The Possibilities

"It is safe to say," states Dr. at least fifty carloads of good honey remains ungathered each year in Saskatchewan because the farmers generally have not as yet awakened to the possibilities of Two good colonies of bees should give sufficient honey to supply nay family for the whole year, taking the place of sugar upon the table and supplying the children with the most wholesome of all sweets. 14

WHEAT POOL GROWS

More than 2,000 new members for the Alberta Wheat Pool joined during the past year according to reports made at the annual meeting of the pool held last week in Calgary. The present Board of Directors was re-elected, with H. W. Wood as President.

The shorter the ration, the longer the life.

P. O. DEPARTMENT GIVES FAULTLESS SERVICE AND SHOWS YEARLY SURPLUS

The Post Office Devartment is the biggest single business in Can-reaching span and most intricate number of details to be looked after. The estimated number of letters, post cards, circulars, etc., carried in Canada's mails last year was 1,200,000 and the expenditure of the Post Office Department aggregated \$28,305, the 936.57, while the net revenue of the department was \$29,100, 491.92, showing a profit of \$794, 555.35. With the exception of 1915 and 1922, when there were deficits, the department has had a substantion surplus ever since 1902. This speaks well for the efficient management of the de partment and the ability of the civil servants who constitute its personnel.

There are about 12,300 post of fices in the country, stretching from the farthest northern points to the United States border, and from the Atlantic Ocean to the Pacific. In each post office, there is a postmaster, but not all of these are permanent paid officials of the department, many running a post office in conjunc-tion being paid on a percentage or contract basis.

2,000,000 Dead Letters: Out of the 1,200,000,000 letters, etc., handled in 1924 by the depart-ment, some 2,000,000 went to the dead letter office as being unde-liverable, and over \$120,000 was found by the department in unde-liverable letters. Of this sum over \$19,000 was returned to the owners, the rest being deposited to the receiver general, owing to the fact that the letters contain-ing the sums making this total could not be delivered and had no idntity of the senders.

The inspection service of the Post Office Department is a big organization and during 1924 it received 338,041 inquiries re-garding lost and mistreated mail matter. Of these, 266,650 were satisfactorily adjusted.

Stamps are another big item. During the year stamps to the value of \$31,063,161.72 were sold. Post Office Services: The post

office services come under eight heads, as follows: communica-tion by letter, post card, newspa-ver and circular; special delivery of letters; parcel post; insurance of parcel post; collect on delivery system... registration of letters; money orders and postal notes; and the post office savings bank.

Communication is a long word and in it is contained a long tale. By the post office one can com-municate with almost any other person on earth, providing that the person's address is known. By agreement with other coun-tries Canadian mails are carried everywhere, as mails from every-where are carried to Canada. Some letters to obscure spots of the earth may be months on their journey, but all of that time they are in someone's care—comeone is responsible to the extent that his position depends on the safe de-livery of that letter.

Whether the letter is carried by boat, railroad, airplane, air-ship, dog team, packrail, horse-back, in a wagon, an automobile, or prairie ox cart—and all of these methods may be used in the delivery of a single letter—that letter is bond to be delivered, ex-cept act of God or incorrect ad-dressing.

"Service" is Watchword: The volume of the world's mail mat-ter is beyond comprehension, and hundreds of thousands of people are engaged in it. Almost every trade, profession and occupation in the category of trades and vro-fessions is used directly or indi-rectly in this great service—and all the way from the perspiring railway mail clerk, who sorts let-ters by the thousands into a mul-titude of bags, to the captain of a great liner carrying His Majes-ty's mails and the postmaster general, sitting at the head of a vast system, keeping tab on its complex ramifications, the watch word is service and co-operation.

The special delivery of letters is one of the post office speciali-ties. It constitutes an extra rap-id service for certain letters on which extra charge is paid. Such letters are sorted first, rushed on to the first available train, are sorted first at each junction point or seaport and when they reach the town of destination, are

delivered by sveal messenger.

Even at that, the special deliv-ery letter does not get there with very much greater speed than the ordinary missive. The Post Of-fice Department of modern times is an extremely efficient organiz-ation and the vast majority of let-ters posted are despatched on the next available train, or boat or other means of transportation, and all that the special delivery letter usually gains is an hour or two in delivery at the other end of the route.

A little paint, face or fence, works wonders.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

ANOTHER PROBLEM IN EDUCATION

There are several of the local entrants for the recent grade eight examinations who now find themselves in this peculiar position. They have passed in each and every subject, but have failed to pass the examination as a whole.

The departmental ruling in this respect for this year in grade eight requires 34 marks for a pass in every subject, with an aggregate, or total of 250 marks in all.

The pupils referred to have obtained 33 marks alright, but fall a few short of the total of 250 marks. In other words, without failing in any subject, they have failed in the whole examination.

This, if it was not so serious a matter, would be truly ridiculous. At least we would have expected the educational authorities to

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have known that the whole position is illogical, absurd and impossible.

INFECTIOUS DISEASE REGULATION ISSUED IN THE GAZETTE

New health regulation dealing with persons affected with any contagious or infectious disease in a communicable form, and with the places where any such persons shall not be employed are contained in the Alberta Gazette for July 31. Persons affected shall not be engaged, employed or permitted to serve in any work in connection with the looking after bedrooms in any hotel or rooming house, employers shall not employ such persons and affected persons shall not seek such employment.

The same regulation applies to employment connected with the serving or handling of food not wrapped in wrappings, boxes, cases or other containers.

Any person suspected of such

diseases may be examined by the local board and if infected shall not continue in the certain types of employment specified in the regulations.

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ALBERTA IS FOURTH IN PRODUCTION

Commodities Produced In Canada in Year Over Three Billions

Canada produced a net value of \$3,051,000,000 in commodities in one year, according to a report just issued by the dominion bureau of statistics, as estimator on the basis of statistics compiled by its various branches.

This value was produced by approximately two-thirds of the gainfully employed persons in the

dominion, those engaged in the various kinds of "production" defined according to the usual acceptance of the term as including agriculture, forestry, fisheries, trapping, mining, and manufacturing. ect.

The value of \$3,051,000,000 in question, which covers 1923, represents an increase of 3.8 per cent over the previous year.

Ontario contributed 39.7 of the Canadian total; Quebec held second place, while Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia and Manitoba followed in the order given.

Even the most successful dentist lives from hand to mouth.

ALBERTA MAN HONORED

R. E. Harrison, druggist of Lamont, Alberta, has been elected President of the Canadian Pharmaceutical Association, at its recent convention in Charlottetown, P. E. I.

IS ARRESTED ON HIS RETURN FROM ENGLAND

Following his return on Tuesday from England where he has been for some time, T. H. Saul formerly Secretary-Treasurer of the municipality of Ribstone, which centres around Chauvin, was arrested during the day by the Alberta provincial police at Chauvin. Saul is charged with theft by conversion of the sum of \$3,831, which was the property of the municipality. There are a number of different charges, each having to do with sums of money paid into the municipality.

This morning the accused appeared before Magistrate McLeod in the police court and his hearing was adjourned until tomorrow. He is being represented by H. H. Parlee, K.C., while the case for the crown is in the hands of J. J. Frawley of the attorney generals department.

The discovery that there was a serious shortage in the accounts of the municipality, which was revealed to the ratepayers a few weeks ago was the cause of considerable consternation as it was believed that the consequence would be largely increased taxes to make up the deficit. Claims have since been made on the bonding company for \$7,700 and it is said that some \$2,300 more will be secured from other sources to make up the reported shortage.

The secretary-treasurer of the municipality is now H. N. Freeman, who was recently appointed and who has been approved by the department of municipal affairs.—Edmonton Journal.

Thomas Harker Saul, former secretary-treasurer of the municipality of Ribstone, which centres about Chauvin, was remanded for trial on five charges of theft when he appeared before Magistrate McLeod in the provincial police court Thursday afternoon.

The charges were laid against Saul as the result of the discovery of a large deficit on the books of the municipality by the auditor a few weeks ago. Saul was charged with conversion of sums amounting to \$3,831 to his own use at various times and was arrested on his return to Chauvin from England a few days ago.—Edmonton Journal.

Since the British cattle embargo was lifted on April 1st 1923, 158,859 head of cattle from Canada had been shipped to Great Britain up to May 31st last, and the estimated value to Canada of these exports is \$14,135,715.

It is announced by the provincial directors of the livestock and poultry pools in Alberta that their now attached to contracts, and a minimum number of signatures are now attached to contracts, and steps will be taken at once to place the pools on a permanent basis.

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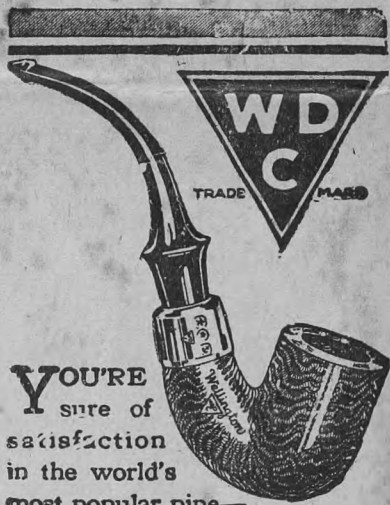
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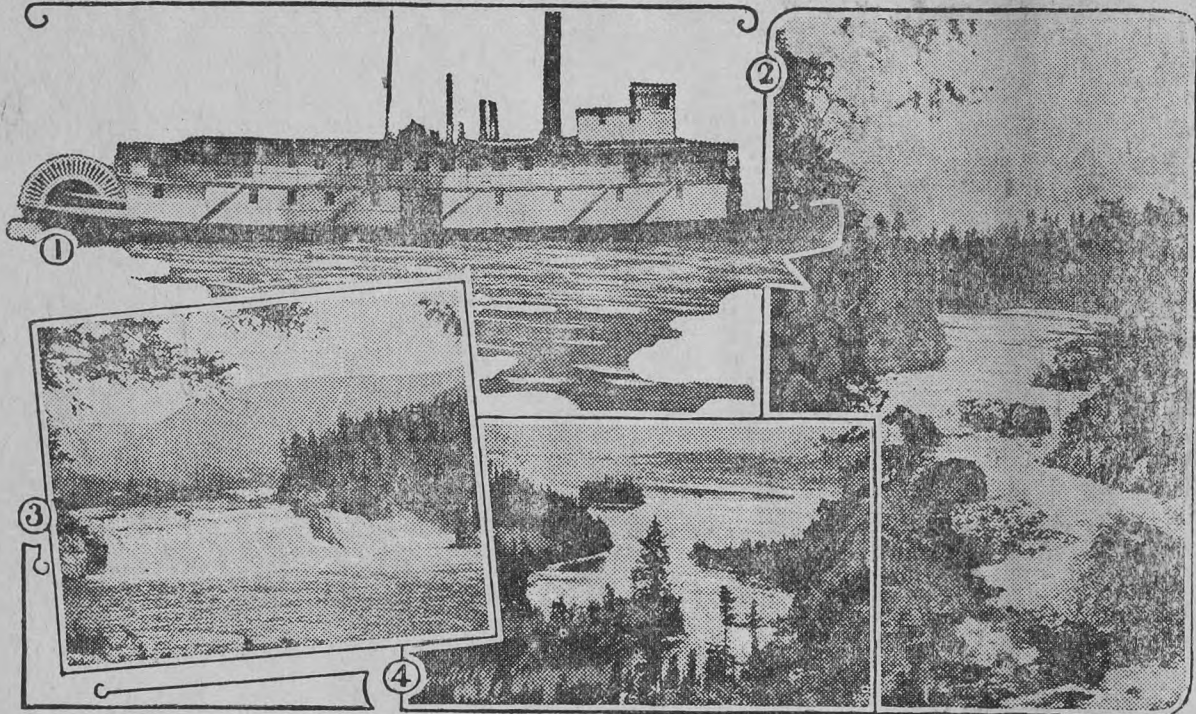
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What about that new Fall Suit or Overcoat. Come in and let us take your measure

G. C. FORRYAN, Chauvin

On The Road To Nelson



(1) A Canadian Pacific Lake Steamship plying between Nelson and Kaslo on the British Columbia lake district. (2) "The Canyon" near South Slocan on the Kootenay River. (3) Bonnington Falls. (4) "The Pool" near Nelson on the Kootenay Lakes, B.C.

On the road to Nelson, whether one enters from the east or west, new beauties charm the eye at every step. Murmuring pines and fir tree cast their shadows along sunny roads, while wayside flowers gladden the eye. Even in winter, it is equally picturesque, when snow crystals adorn the trees and shrubs, with flowery jewels, their shadows casting strange pictures across the soft snow covering the sleeping earth. For winter in the mountains of British Col-

umbia is a season of joyous sport and out of door life! Along the way, as the Kootenay makes its downward dash to the Columbia, appear falls and rapids. Two of these are utilized for electric power, by the West Kootenay Power and Light Company, which distributes power for three hundred miles, and the City of Nelson power company, which provides its citizens with heat and light and power from this source. Beyond another of these rapids is the famous fishing

ground, known as Slocan pool, where fishermen from all over the world have tried their luck through dark and sunny days. While the fishing may take time and patience, if the season or the bait is not just right, not so the scenery, for the beauty of the entire riverside may be seen from the car window when passing between Nelson and Castlegar, whence two routes are provided to the Pacific coast.

—Mrs. W. Garland Foster.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS

(Continued from page one)

Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald, of Winnipeg, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harris. This week, they are spending their time with the Harris Brothers on the farm at Prosperity.

Messrs Parcels and Harris have received a consignment of four separators and five tractors. Looks like a return to prosperity for the district.

Snag-Proof overalls are good. Special at Saker's this week for \$1.95 per pair.

Mr. E. A. Pitman, having over 500 acres of wheat to harvest this season, has invested in a new tractor.

Mr. P. H. Perry, secretary of the Chauvin Agricultural Society, has been busy sending out cheques covering the prize money won at the Chauvin Fair.

No danger of your not liking Bebe Daniels in "Dangerous Money" to be shown next Monday at Chauvin and Tuesday at Edgerton.

Local business conditions have been improving lately. This is due to the delivery of wheat pool payments and to the harvest prospects.

The Western Lumber Co., announce that they will handle the coal business this season, dealing in the same high grade coal as last year.

Miss Valeda Auclair and Miss Boyer of Montreal are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Boyer and other friends in the Chauvin district.

Mrs. Semple of Drinkwater, Sask. accompanied by her two little girls, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Borregard.

You must run to win the race.

CARD OF THANKS

Thanks are extended to those who so kindly helped to supply the music for the dance, given by the Chauvin Basket-Ball Girls.

THE CHAUVIN BASKETBALL GIRLS

CARD OF THANKS

I take this opportunity of thanking my many friends for the business transacted with me in the last three years and I wish you all success in the years to come.

(signed) D. BISSETT

NORTHERN CROWN

SCHOOL REPORT

Subjects: Comp.; Writ.; Lit.; Art; Spell; Arith; Cit; El. Sci; Mus.; Read.; Average.

* Promoted

GRADE VI

*Haakon Johnson 70; 63; 40; 40; 86; 36; 35; 50; 65; 78; 57.

GRADE V

*George Solberg 71; 69; 66; 60; 95; 90; 46; 70; 60; 80; 71.

GRADE III

*Lloyd Johnson 62; 69; 60; 46; 93; 60; 50; 58; 58; 70; 63.

GRADE II

*Jean Swan 54; 78; 72; 58; 92; 75; ...; 60; 62; 78; 80.

*Clifford Solberg 28; 75; 74; 55; 90; 100; ...; 63; 44; 65; 66.

*Ralph Johnson 43; 63; 65; 47; 91; 93; ...; 66; 50; 74; 66.

Jeff Swan 30; 60; 70; 52; 93; 72; ...; 53; 54; 72; 62.

GRADE I

*Mae Gilbertson 54; 65; 66; 50; 94; 60; ...; 61; 85; 67.

*Myrtle Solberg 47; 76; 61; 57; 100; 50; ...; 50; 83; 67.

Myrtle Swan; 50; 60; 52; 55; 53; 50; ...; 70; 63; 57.

Alma Reiersen 38; 55; 35; 47; 34; 44; ...; 56; 54; 46.

EDINGGLASSIE SCHOOL NOTES

The Edinglassie school will re-open for the fall term, Tuesday, September 1st, Mrs P. H. Perry being teacher.

Stanley Windum, pupil of this school, was successful in passing his grade eight examination in the recent departmentals.

BUTZEVILLE SCHOOL NOTES

The Butzeville school de-opens for the fall term with Mrs. C. Sigurdson as teacher. Tuesday, September 1st.

Three out of the four pupils who sat for the grade eight departmental examinations were successful in passing. They are Florence Carlien, Ray Furber, Ezra Fahner.

Melody Lawn writing tablets, finest of linen 75 sheets for 35c. McKechnie's Drug and Stationery Store.

Great hopes make great men.

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Order Yours Early and Avoid the Rush

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Hardware

Galvanized Pails	each	.50
Galvanized Tubs No. 2.		1.50
Nickelled Tea Kettles		3.00
Pots, No. 9, enamelled		1.00
Blue and White Water Pails, No. 14		1.60
Blue and White Dish Pans		1.10; 1.40
Tractor Oil per gallon		.90 to 1.60
Lace Leather, cut,	per lb	1.75
Tractor Pails		1.40
Copper Boilers		5.00
Zenith Bundle Forks		1.50
Handles Strapped and Capped		.75

J. A. Montjoy

CHAUVIN

ALBERTA

HARVEST SPECIALS for this week

Groceries

SUGAR	per 100 lbs	8.15
TOMATOES No 2 1/2	6 for	1.00
PEAS No. 2	6 for	.70
NABOB COFFEE	2 tins	1.35
MACARONI	5 lb box	.55
BLENDED JAMS	per tin	.50

Our Stock of Groceries is complete. The best in the district

Men's Wear

OVERALLS or SMOCKS,	
Black or Blue	each 1.95
SHIRTS	from 1.25
BOOTS for WORK	
Regular 6.00	per pair 3.95
GLOVES, Horsehide	pair .75
HEAVY WOOL SWEATER	
COATS, all sizes	2.65

All kinds of Sweaters and Pullovers for Men and Boys

Fruit

Owing to the erratic condition of markets prices fluctuate daily but you will find our prices are as low as the lowest and the quality is the best—only. Our first earload will arrive about September 4th, but there will be practically no Peaches or Prunes by that time.

REMEMBER, our store is the only store in Chauvin that has ever handled straight earloads of fruit. Therefore our values are unapproachable.

Prices this week (at time of giving to press) Guaranteed to be no higher while stock lasts.

PEACHES	per case	1.90
PRUNE PLUMS	per case	1.45
CUCUMBERS	per case	1.10
BLACKBERRIES	per case	3.25
RIPE TOMATOES	per basket	.45
FANCY PLUMS	per basket	.60
B. C. SUGAR	per 100 lbs.	7.65

Saker's Phone 31 Chauvin

Edgerton Fair

Wednesday, September 16th

HORSES

SECTION ONE

Directors in charge: L. F. BYRNES, ROBERT WATSON

PURE BRED DRAFT HORSES

11	Stallion, 3 years and over	10.00	8.00	6.00
12	Stallion, 2 years old	7.00	5.00	3.00
13	Stallion, 1 year old	6.00	4.00	3.00
14	Brood Mare, with foal by side, proof of having foal during current year or heavy in foal	8.00	6.00	4.00
15	Dry Mare, 3 years old and over	6.00	4.00	3.00
16	Filly, 2 years old	5.00	4.00	3.00
17	Filly, 1 year old	4.00	3.00	2.00
18	Foal, Colt or Filly	4.00	3.00	2.00
19	Champion Male		Ribbon	
20	Champion Female		Ribbon	

GRADE HORSES: HEAVY DRAFT: 1500 lbs or over

21	Brood Mare with foal by side	6.00	5.00	4.00
22	Dry Mare or Gelding, 3 years and over	5.00	4.00	3.00
23	Filly or Gelding, 2 years old	4.00	3.00	2.00
24	Filly or Gelding, 1 year old	3.00	2.00	1.00
25	Foal, Colt or Filly	3.00	2.00	1.00

AGRICULTURAL HORSES, 1300 to 1500 lbs

31	Brood Mare with foal at side	6.00	5.00	4.00
32	Dry Mare or Gelding, 3 years and over	5.00	4.00	3.00
33	Filly or Gelding, 2 years old	4.00	3.00	2.00
34	Filly or Gelding, 1 year old	3.00	2.00	1.00
35	Foal, Colt or Filly	3.00	2.00	1.00

By Imperial Lumber Co. For the best Agricultural team. \$5.00

GENERAL PURPOSE HORSES, 1150 to 1300 lbs

41	Single Mare or Gelding in harness	4.00	3.00	2.00
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HARNESS CLASS

Teams to be Hitched to Wagon and Driven

42	Teams, Heavy Draft, Pure bred or Grade, 1500 lbs or over	10.00	8.00	6.00
43	Team, Agricultural, Pure bred or Grade, 1300 to 1500 lbs	10.00	8.00	6.00
44	Team, General Purpose, Grade only 1150 to 1300 lbs	7.00	5.00	3.00

SADDLE HORSES, To be Shown Under Saddle

51	Saddle Horse, 15.2 and over	4.00	3.00	2.00
52	Saddle Horse, 14.2 and under 15.2	4.00	3.00	2.00
53	Saddle Horse, suitable for lady and ridden by lady	4.00	3.00	2.00

SADDLE PONIES, Not over 14.2 hands high

61	Saddle Pony, ridden by boy under 15 years old	4.00	3.00	2.00
62	Saddle Pony, ridden by girl under 15 years old	4.00	3.00	2.00

DRIVING CLASS

(Judged by their Quality, Style, Action and

72	Dry Mare or Gelding, Hitched to Adaptability for Present Day Driving)			
71	Brood Mare with foal at side suitable vehicle	5.00	4.00	3.00
73	Filly or Gelding, 2 years old	4.00	3.00	2.00
74	Filly or Gelding, 1 year old	4.00	3.00	2.00
75	Foal, Colt or Filly	3.00	2.00	1.00
76	Team to Rig	5.00	4.00	3.00

CATTLE

SECTION TWO

Directors in charge: A. D. COOPER; TOM BAZLEY

PURE BRED CATTLE

201	Bull, 3 years and over	8.00	7.00	6.00
202	Bull, 2 years old	6.00	5.00	4.00
203	Bull, 1 year old	5.00	4.00	3.00
204	Bull Calf, under one year	4.00	3.00	2.00
205	Cow, 3 years old and over	7.00	6.00	5.00
206	Heifer, 2 years old	5.00	4.00	3.00
207	Heifer, 1 year old	4.00	3.00	2.00
208	Heifer Calf under one year	4.00	3.00	2.00
209	Champion Male		Ribbon	
210	Champion Female		Ribbon	

GRADE BEEF CATTLE

211	Cow, 3 years old and over in milk or in calf	6.00	5.00	4.00
212	Heifer, 2 years old	5.00	4.00	3.00
213	Heifer, 1 year old	4.00	3.00	2.00
214	Heifer or Steer Calf	3.00	2.00	1.00

PURE BRED OR GRADE FAT CATTLE

221	Steer, 2 years old or over	6.00	5.00	4.00
222	Yearling Steer	5.00	4.00	3.00

GRADE DAIRY CATTLE

231	Cow, 3 years old and over, in milk	5.00	4.00	3.00
232	Heifer, 2 years old	4.00	3.00	2.00
233	Heifer, 1 year old	3.00	2.00	1.00
234	Heifer Calf	3.00	2.00	1.00

GRADE DUAL PURPOSE CATTLE

241	Cow, 3 years old and over, in milk	5.00	4.00	3.00
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By Edgerton Creamery Co. Ltd. For Dual Purpose Cow with Calf at foot 1st \$5.00; 2nd \$3.00; 3rd \$2.00

STOCK JUDGING COMPETITIONS

Goys and Girls under 18 years	3.00	2.00
Open to All, 18 years and older	3.00	2.00

SHEEP

SECTION THREE

Director in charge: L. W. DAVIS

PURE BRED SHEEP

Pure Bred: All pure bred over one year must have Registration Tags in ears, as required by C.N.L.S.R.

301	Ram, 2 years old and over	5.00	4.00	3.00
302	Ram Shearling	4.00	3.00	2.00
303	Ram Lamb	3.00	2.00	1.00
304	Ewe	5.00	4.00	3.00
305	Ewe Shearling	4.00	3.00	2.00
306	Ewe Lamb	3.00	2.00	1.00

GRADE SHEEP

311	Wether Shearling or over	4.00	3.00	2.00
312	Ewe, 2 shears or over	4.00	3.00	2.00
313	Ewe Shearling	3.00	2.00	1.00
314	Ewe Lamb	3.00	2.00	1.00
315	Wether Lamb	3.00	2.00	1.00

WOOL

321	Fleece, Long Wool	3.00	2.00
322	Fleece, Medium Wool	3.00	2.00

SWINE

SECTION FOUR

Director in charge: L. W. DAVIS

REGISTERED SWINE

401	Boar, one year old or over	5.00	4.00	3.00
402	Boar, six months and under one year	4.00	3.00	2.00
	Boar, under six months	4.00	3.00	2.00
404	Sow, one year old and over	5.00	4.00	3.00
405	Sow, six months and under one year	4.00	3.00	2.00
406	Sow, under six month	4.00	3.00	2.00
407	Champion Boar		Ribbon	
408	Champion Sow		Ribbon	

BACON HOGS

(to weigh from 150 to 225 lbs)

411	Hog, finished for bacon trade	4.00	3.00	2.00
412	Pen of three Hogs suitable for bacon trade	6.00	5.00	4.00

MEDIUM THICK

(to weigh from 150 to 260 lbs)

421	Hog	4.00	3.00	2.00
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POULTRY

SECTION FIVE

Director in charge: DON. PAWSEY

POULTRY

UTILITY BREEDS ONLY

501	Single Birds	3.00	2.00	1.00
502	Flock of 2 to 4 Hens and 1 Male	4.00	3.00	2.00

GRAINS AND GRASSES

SECTION SIX

Director in charge: IRA KIMBALL

GRAINS AND GRASSES

601	Sheaf Wheat	1.00	.75	.50
602	Sheaf Oats	1.00	.75	.50
603	Sheaf Barley	1.00	.75	.50
604	Sheaf Rye	1.00	.75	.50
605	Sheaf Brome Grass	1.00	.75	.50
606	Sheaf Timothy	1.00	.75	.50
607	Sheaf Alfalfa	1.00	.75	.50

By Home Grain Co. For best exhibit of Threshed Grains, Wheat, Oats, Barley and Rye. \$5.00

By James Milne: For an exhibit of four sheaves of Grain. Wheat, Oats, Barley and Rye. \$2.00

ROOTS AND VEGETABLES

SECTION SEVEN

Director in charge: W. B. CASTLE

ROOTS & VEGETABLES

610	Beans, green in pod, 1 quart	1.00	.50	.25
611	Beans, wax or butter, 1 quart	1.00	.50	.25
612	Beets, 6 blood turnip	1.00	.50	.25
613	Beets, 6 long blood	1.00	.50	.25
614	Cabbage, early, 2 heads	1.00	.50	.25
615	Cabbage, late, 2 heads	1.00	.50	.25
616	Cauliflower, 2 heads	1.00	.50	.25
617	Carrots, early shorthorn, 12 roots	1.00	.50	.25
618	Carrots, half long, 12 roots	1.00	.50	.25
619	Celery, red, 2 heads	1.00	.50	.25
620	Celery, white, 2 heads	1.00	.50	.25
621	Cucumbers, short, 6	1.00	.50	.25
622	Cucumbers, long, 6	1.00	.50	.25
623	Lettuce, yellow, 3	1.00	.50	.25
624	Onions, yellow, 12	1.00	.50	.25
625	Onions, red, 12	1.00	.50	.25
626	Onions, white, 12	1.00	.50	.25
627	Onions, white, pickling, 1 quart	1.00	.50	.25
628	Parsnips, long, 6	1.00	.50	.25
629	Parsnips, short, 6	1.00	.50	.25
630	Parsley, 3 bunches	1.00	.50	.25
631	Peas, green in pod, 1 quart	1.00	.50	.25
632	Pumpkins, 2	1.00	.50	.25
633	Radish, long 12	1.00	.50	.25
634	Radish, short, 12	1.00	.50	.25
635	Radish, winter, 12	1.00	.50	.25
636	Radish, horse, 6	1.00	.50	.25
637	Rhubarb, 3 bunches	1.00	.50	.25
638	Squash, summer, 2	1.00	.50	.25
639	Squash, winter, 2	1.00	.50	.25
640	Squash or Vegetable Marrow, 2	1.00	.50	.25
641	Citron, 2	1.00	.50	.25
642	Sunflowers, 3 heads	1.00	.50	.25
643	Tomatoes, red, ripe, 12	1.00	.50	.25
644	Tomatoes, yellow, ripe, 12	1.00	.50	.25
645	Turnips, garden, 12	1.00	.50	.25
646	Collection of roots and vegetables grown by exhibitor	1.00	.50	.25
647	Sugar Beets, 6 roots	1.00	.50	.25
648	Carrots, field, 6	1.00	.50	.25
649	Mangold-Wurtzel, yellow, 6	1.00	.50	.25
650	Mangold-Wurtzel, red, 6	1.00	.50	.25
651	Turnips, field, yellow, 6	1.00	.50	.25
652	Turnips, field, white, 6	1.00	.50	.25
653	Turnips, Swede or Rutabaga, 6	1.00	.50	.25
654	Potatoes, white 1-2 bushel	1.00	.50	.25
655	Potatoes, red 1-2 bushel	1.00	.50	.25
656	Corn on cob, 6	1.00	.50	.25

DOMESTIC MANUFACTURES

SECTION EIGHT

Director in charge: MRS. H. E. SPENCER

Exhibits must be home-made

702	Butter, 10 lb crock	3.00	1.00	.50
703	Butter, 5 lb crock	2.00	1.00	.50
704	Butter, 1 lb roll or print	1.50	.50	.25
705	Butter, 1 lb fancy	1.50	.50	.25
706	Cheese, one 10 lb.	2.00	1.00	.50
707	Bread, white, 2 loaves	1.00	.50	.25
708	Bread, brown, 2 loaves	1.00	.50	.25
709	Buns, plain, 6	1.00	.50	.25
710	Buns, currant, 6	1.00	.50	.25
711	Biscuits, plain, 6	1.00	.50	.25
712	Cookies, 3 kinds, 6 each	1.00	.50	.25
713	Cake, fruit	3.00	2.00	1.00
714	Cake, fancy	2.00	1.00	.75
715	Cake, Devil's Food	2.00	1.00	.75
716	Cake, Angel	2.00	1.00	.75
717	Cake, Sponge	2.00	1.00	.75
718	Cake, any kind made by bachelor	2.00	1.00	.75

718	Doughnuts, 6	1.00	.50	.25
719	Pie, Apple	2.00	1.00	.75
720	Pie, Lemon	2.00	1.00	.75
721	Shortbread, 6	2.00	1.00	.75
722	Vinegar, 3 bottles, 1 quart each	2.00	1.00	.50
723	Pickles, home grown mixed, 1 qt.	2.00	1.00	.50
724	Pickles, collection 6 varieties home-grown, 1 pint each	4.00	3.00	2.00
725	Governor's Sauce, 1 quart	2.00	1.00	.50
726	Chili Sauce, 1 quart	2.00	1.00	.50
727	Native fruit collection preserved 1 pint each	3.00	2.00	

EDGERTON AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY

728	Canned fruit collection 1 pint each 3 varieties	3.00	2.00	
729	Jelly Collection not less than 3 varieties, 1 pint each	3.00	2.00	
730	Marmalade Collection, 3 varieties 1 pint each	3.00	2.00	
731	Wine, 1 quart	2.00	1.00	.50
732	Raspberry vinegar, 1 quart	2.00	1.00	.50
733	Ham, home cured	2.00	1.00	.50
734	Bacon, home cured	2.00	1.00	.50
735	Turkey, drawn, 1 fowl	3.00	2.00	
736	Goose, drawn, 1 fowl	3.00	2.00	
737	Ducks, drawn, 1 pair	2.00	1.00	
738	Chickens, drawn, 1 pair	2.00	1.00	
739	Dozen hen eggs	2.00	1.00	
740	Half dozen duck eggs	2.00	1.00	
741	Soap, 3 lbs. hard	2.00	1.00	.50
742	Soap, 3 lbs. soft	2.00	1.00	.50

PLANTS

743	Begonia, any variety	1.00	.50
744	Cactus, any variety	1.00	.50
745	Fern any variety	1.00	.50
746	Geranium, blooming, any variety	1.00	.50
747	House plants, collection	2.00	1.00
748	Cut flowers, garden bouquet	1.00	.50
749	Aster collection	1.00	.50
750	Sweet peas, Collection	1.00	.50
751	Pansy collection	1.00	.50
752	Foliage plant	1.00	.50

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902	Print of butter 4 lbs by girl 14 years or under	2.00	.50	.25
903	Collection of Native Grasses	2.00	.50	.25
904	Pressed Wild Flowers	2.00	.50	.25
905	Hand Drawing	2.00	.50	.25
906	Essay, any subject	2.00	.50	.25
907	Best Calf, cared for by exhibitor	2.00	.50	.25
908	Best Colt, cared for by exhibitor	2.00	.50	.25
909	Best Pig, cared for by exhibitor	2.00	.50	.25
910	Best Rooster, cared for by exhibitor	2.00	.50	.25
911	Best Collection of 10 Vegetables, grown by exhibitor	2.00	.50	.25
912	Hand made Handkerchief, made by girl under 16	2.00	.50	.25
913	Hand made Apron by girl under 16	2.00	.50	.25
914	Hemstitched Towel by girl under 16	2.00	.50	.25
915	Embroidery work by girl under 16	2.00	.50	.25

MAIL ORDER HOUSE
BUSINESS IS DECLINING

The mail order business is declining. Toronto's two large houses which feature this trade, report this, and the conclusion has been reached that the day of the mail order house is "passing" says the Financial Post. Isn't this just in the natural order of events? Women do the greater percentage of the buying, and as they yearly become better shoppers they know that "seeing" is "knowing" the quality of the goods. Retail merchants in small and larger centers are trying to supply the demands of their prospective customers, and are buying with judgement and good taste so that their goods will compare favorably with city goods. True it is that one does not have so wide a range from which to choose, but this is altogether compensated for by the lack of confusion which is created by the sight altogether of too many similar articles. Of course city merchants know the great value of advertising as a seller of goods and are continuing to learn the value to them of the city dailies. However, town and village make their offers by means of advertising and they have held their

nightful customers by means of a continuous news service of their merchandise in the local newspapers. The merchant who does not tell his fellow citizens about the quality and price of the goods he has bought for their use is a man who is helping the mail order houses to continue their mail order business. These city merchants let us all know in detail of their bargains and their service. Do your business with the local merchants who are glad to serve you and are willing to tell the world the story of their merchandise through the local weekly.

PRINCE MAY COME IN 1926

It is possible that the Prince of Wales will pay another visit to his ranch in Alberta in the fall of 1926, according to a statement made by his ranch manager, W. L. Carlyle.

PERMANENT BOARD
LIVESTOCK POOL

Election of directors for the permanent board of the Alberta Co-operative Livestock Producers, Ltd., formed one of the principal matters of business at the conference held at Edmonton last week and resulted as follows: District A: S. Sears, Nanton; District B: A. B. Claypool, Swallow; District C: A. McMillan, Tees; District D: J. P. Slattery, Camrose; District E: H. H. Stearns, Innisfree; District F: E. Bevington, Edmonton; District G: E. H. Keith, Lake Saskatoon.

Oh, there's no unsightly garbage And our alley's spic and span, For we've carted off the rubbish And every bloomin' can.

Patient: "My head's like a lump of lead, my chest feels as if it's held in a vice, my insides as though torn by pincers, I've got pins and needles in my legs, and my neck is as stiff as a poker." Doctor: "H'm! Metallic poisoning."

THE NEW CONSERVATIVE
LEADER IN ALBERTA

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politics with provincial affairs, regarding such a viewpoint, he said "If you were electing a body of directors for a private corporation that would be charged with the responsibility of handling vast sums of money, you would not be concerned with what their political leanings in Federal politics were, neither would you, I hope, in electing your city council be concerned about what their Federal politics were. In my submission," continued Mr. McGillivray, "the provincial legislature is nothing more than a glorified city council. The necessity for parties (if there be any such necessity) is, that a government may be formed from among those members of the legislature, whose common advocacy of given policies during the election, has most appealed to the people of the province."

Referring to the evils engendered by the injection of sectionalism into politics, whether of class, race, or religion, he fearlessly stated: "Whether I win or lose, I will never appeal to the people on the grounds of nationality, or creed. We have no quarrel with the U.F.A. as an organization," he continued, "but what we do object to is that an organization, which is capable of so much good, should by any little group of men be converted into a political machine. The farmers themselves should object to any particular class dominating them all."

Mr. McGillivray closed his address with a rallying call: "The time is ripe, our cause is just, let us go out and win," and the unanimity of the ovation which followed the close of his stirring address bore witness to the pride of the assembled Conservatives in their new leader, and in his attitude towards the future of Conservatism in Alberta.

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SALE AT LACOMBE

The Central Alberta Wool Growers' Association held a very successful sheep sale at Lacombe in October 1924. Twelve hundred and seventy-one pure bred rams and pure bred and grade ewes were sold for \$16,101.50. These sheep have made such good returns to their owners that very numerous requests have been made to the Association for another sheep sale this fall, and it has been decided to hold a combined judging demonstration, show and sale at Lacombe on Wednesday, October 7th. In the forenoon a demonstration will be given on how to judge and select breeding rams and ewes, tell ages etc., and a show will be held of rams, ewes and lambs entered in the sale. The sheep will be sold in the afternoon.

Farmers wishing to buy sheep and farmers having sheep for sale should watch the press or write the Secretary, Mr. Jesse Fraser, Lacombe, Alberta, for further announcements.

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Calgary citizens have carried a By-law to assist Spillers, Ltd. of England in the erection of a large flour milling industry in Calgary by providing a fixed assessment on the plant for a period of fifteen years.

The man who figures in an explosion usually begins at the bottom and goes up.

Two-fifths of Russia consists of forest land.

ENTERTAIN
AGRICULTURAL EDITORS

Plans are now being made by the cities of Calgary and Edmonton for the visit of the party of 100 agricultural editors from the United States who will visit Alberta in September. At Edmonton to the Board of Trade and the Provincial Government will unite in the plans for entertaining the party, which will include a drive about the district and a dinner in the evening. At Calgary plans are also being made for a special entertainment. The party represents agricultural journals with a combined circulation of nearly ten million copies.

Professor A. M. Low left out one item in his recent prophecy of what will happen in the year 2925. He never mentioned how the people would look back regretfully to those good old times of 1925.

The question for each man to settle is not what he would do if he had means, time influence, and educational advantages; but what he will do with the things he has.

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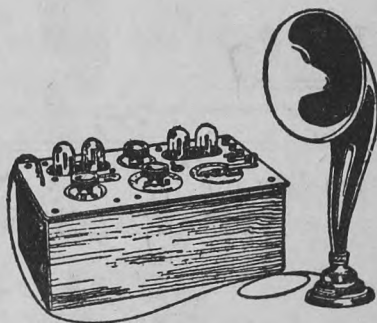
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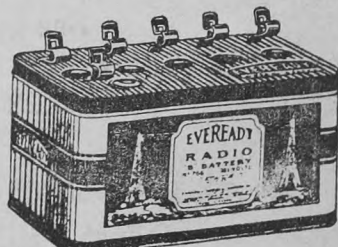
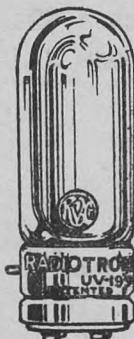
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Here and There

The first batch of last winter's furs brought from the Far North by the steamer "Distributor," from Ak-lavik, has arrived at Edmonton, Alta., and is valued at approximately \$1,000,000. Good catches of furs were reported throughout the north.

Sockeye salmon fishing around Vancouver, B.C., for the first three weeks of the current season, while not as active as last year, has, so far, resulted in fairly good catches. The latest reports indicate a catch to date of 55,000 cases, which is 2,000 cases less than last year.

While the members of Dean Sinclair Laird's party of school teachers from Ontario is returning East from their tour of the country the party of British teachers, who landed in Canada recently, is now traveling through the West on a special Canadian Pacific train to gain knowledge of the country and information concerning its resources.

Construction of the half million dollar storage and power dam on the Muskosh River, authorized at its last session by the Ontario Legislature, has been commenced. The proposed work is designed to control the flow from the Muskoka Lakes basin and will enable the linking up of power development in that district with the Eugenia-Severn system.

Passenger traffic over Western Lines of the Canadian Pacific Railway to date this summer has been particularly heavy, and a large number of special trains and special cars being operated for British, Canadian and American tourists. Lake side and summer tourist travel to the annual exhibition at Saskatoon and other Western points required the operation of special trains.

Construction of one of the largest and most modern departmental stores at Winnipeg, Man., by the Hudson's Bay Company will be proceeded with immediately, according to an announcement by Mayor Webb of that city. A start upon the company's building programme here was assured, stated Mayor Webb, with the passing of a by-law by the City Council providing for a memorial boulevard flanking the Hudson's Bay property.

During the first half of August two important Ontario railway towns celebrated their Old Home Week and held pageants illustrative of their local histories and industrial activities. These were North Bay and Smith Falls, both of which held C.P.R. Days and were the meeting points for thousands of railroad men, who assisted in the pioneering work of the districts. The Old Home Week at North Bay marked the graduation of that town to full-fledged cityhood.

The funeral in Montreal recently of the late G. M. Bosworth, chairman Canadian Pacific Steamships, was attended by E. W. Beatty, chairman and president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and nearly all the directors and executive officers of the company. An impressive and dignified procession followed the ceremony, a cortage being formed by the Company's police and officers and men from the crews of Canadian Pacific steamships.

A party of thirty prominent American society people, scientists and artists succeeded recently in blazing a new passage along the Wolverine pass across the northern Canadian Pacific Rockies with the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies. The Riders this year have many famous men among them and six separate countries are represented. Twenty of the members wear gold and enamel buttons, showing that they have ridden 2,500 miles along the mountain trails.

Wishes won't wash dishes.

It has been estimated that over one hundred and fifty thousand people attended the Calgary Stampede this year. A historical pageant more than five miles long was the opening feature of the jubilee.

With an estimated attendance of five thousand each, twenty conventions have been booked to take place in Montreal for August, September and October, according to figures from the Tourist and Convention Bureau of that city.

It is expected that when Hon. Honore Mercier, Minister of Lands and Forests, returns to Canada, a thorough organization of the aviation branch of the Quebec Lands and Forests Department will take place. It is reported that the Province is to purchase several more hydroplanes, to be used for forestry research work, as well as for combatting forest fires and other work.

Church dignitaries, statesmen and thousands of laymen congregated in ancient Quebec to be present at the wonderfully impressive ceremonies attendant upon the burial of the late Cardinal Begin. The Basilica, which has only recently been reconstructed and opened to the public, presented a scene of colorful beauty and majestic dignity while the profoundly sorrowful services were being recited.

At this year's Cross-country Ride and Pow-wow of the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies it is expected that approximately one hundred riders will cover a new trail which extends from Marble Canyon on the Banff-Windermere Road over the Wolverine Plateau and past Lake O'Hara to Hector, while between 250 and 300 are expected at the Pow-wow near the Wapta Bungalow Camp. While out west Field Marshal Earl Haig signed on as a member of the Trail Riders.

On the occasion of the departure from England of a party of one hundred school-teachers on board the "Empress of Scotland" to visit Canada and study educational methods here, His Majesty the King sent the following message to the International Education League: "His Majesty congratulates the League upon the happy conception of the undertaking which will give opportunities to study the educational system in Canada and to gain an insight into her history, development and general resources."

That 69,000 harvesters would be required to handle this year's crop, of which the East would be expected to supply 50,000, was the estimate arrived at last week at a conference of various governments held in the Canadian Pacific offices at Winnipeg. In the meantime the Canadian Pacific Railway has taken all necessary steps to transport the army of harvesters. Their colonist cars and special equipment has been overhauled and the company is now fully prepared for its annual rush of harvesters.

George Morris Bosworth, Chairman of the Canadian Pacific Steamships, who died in London, England, on the morning of July 28th, from septic poisoning following an operation for appendicitis, was with the company almost from its inception. He was 68 years old when he died, joined the Canadian Pacific Railway in 1882 and was head of the steamship service for nearly seven years. When informed of Mr. Bosworth's death, E. W. Beatty, K.C., chairman and president of the company, stated that in his opinion Mr. Bosworth had had no equal in the country as a manager of railway traffic and added that "the company deeply regrets the passing of another of the old guard, whose ability and effort so largely contributed to the company's success."

There is a bright side to every thing: even to the trousers you topped wearing long ago.

LOCAL TIME TABLE

No. 3.—Westbound

Leave Winnipeg	....	2.30 p.m.
Leave Saskatoon	....	7.50 a.m.
Leave Artland	....	1.26 p.m.
Leave Chauvin	.....	1.48 p.m.
Leave Edgerton	....	2.25 p.m.
Leave Wainwright	..	3.20 p.m.
Leave Irma	.....	4.02 p.m.
Arrive Edmonton	....	8.25 p.m.

No. 4.—Eastbound

Leave Edmonton	....	8.50 a.m.
Leave Irma	.....	12.50 p.m.
Leave Wainwright	....	1.45 p.m.
Leave Edgerton	....	2.25 p.m.
Leave Chauvin	.....	2.56 p.m.
Leave Artland	.....	3.14 p.m.
Arrive Saskatoon	....	9.15 p.m.
Arrive Winnipeg	....	3.50 p.m.

No. 1.—Westbound.

Does not stop for westbound passengers. Intending passengers must go forward on No. 3 and transfer at a divisional point

Arrives Chauvin	5.50 p.m.
Arrives Irma	7.37 p.m.

No. 2.—Eastbound

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Arrives Irma	10.18 a.m.
Arrives Chauvin	11.58 a.m.

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